

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant	:	Yuichiro Shindo	
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Art Unit	:	1733	
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Title	:	Ni-Pt ALLOY AND TARGET COMPRISING THE ALLOY	

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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is an Amendment submitted in response to a non-final Office Action dated August 23, 2011. A Petition for a One Month Extension of Time is submitted herewith to extend the deadline for response from November 23, 2011 to December 23, 2011. Kindly amend the application as set forth below.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page two of this paper.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page four of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page five of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.